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SUBJ: SELF-HELP FY 77 FALL OUT FUNDS

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1. EMBASSY HOPES THAT REFTEL DOES NOT MEAN THAT DEPARTMENT DESIRES TO TRANSFER RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SELECTION OF SELF-HELP PROJECTS FROM THE AMBASSADOR TO THE DEPARTMENT. EMBASSY STRONGLY BELIEVES THAT THE MERITS OF SPECIFIC PROJECTS CAN BEST BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD.

2. THE LOME SELF-HELP COMMITTEE HAS "ON THE SHELF" 18 PROJECTS TOTALLING \$67,250. MOST OF THESE FUNDS GO TO BACK UP NINE PEACE CORPS CONSTRUCTION VOLUNTEERS WHO HAVE ON-GOING REQUIREMENTS FOR MATERIALS. SELF-HELP FUNDED MATERIALS ARE ONE COMPONENT OF AN ONGOING PROGRAM OF COOPERATIVE CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOLS, DISPENSARIES, MINOR ENGINEERING WORKS ON FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS, ETC. SELF-HELP CONTRIBUTION TO THIS CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM HAS MADE POSSIBLE THE CONSTRUCTION OF, FOR EXAMPLE, MORE CLASSROOMS SINCE 1968, PRIMARILY IN RURAL AREAS, THAN EITHER THE FRENCH ACHIEVED IN THE ENTIRE PERIOD OF THEIR COLONIZATION OR THE TOGOLESE GOVERNMENT SINCE INDEPENDENCE. (THERE IS, OF COURSE, A GOT INPUT INTO THE CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM). \$57,250 WORTH OF PROJECTS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THIS CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM ARE "ON THE SHELF" AWAITING FUNDING. WE ALSO HAVE "ON UNCLASSIFIED

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THE SHELF" PROJECTS IN THE FIELDS OF ANIMAL TRACTION, SHCOOL GARDENS, AND WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT IN THE ORDER OF \$10,000.

3. EMBASSY CAN EASILY COME UP WITH MORE PROJECTS IF FUNDING BEYOND \$67,250 IS AVAILABLE. WE NORMALLY, HOWEVER, TRY NOT TO WORK UP TOO BIG A BACKLOG OF PROJECTS AWAITING

FUNDING BECAUSE OF THE EXPECTATIONS CREATED.
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